# WILL NOT BE DROPPED

Chamber of Commerce Committee Not Deterred by Secretary Garrison's Unfavorable Attitude

That the special committee of the Chamber of Commerce, furthering the Great Falls water and power plant project, does not intend to relax its efforts because of the unfavorable views relative to the matter recently announced by Secretary of War Garrison,

justified in working arduously for the

### District Courts

August 2, 1892, and filed 'yesterday for probate, he leaves his entire estate to Mrs. Hannay will raise a flag on the his wife, Lillie Moore, with instructions building.

to give each of the children \$25 upon Building Renovated. their reaching majority. The widow is named as executrix.

Marinda Hishley, also known as Miranda Hessler, in a will filed for probate vesterday, bequeaths her residence at 619 L street northeast to Mary A. and Samuel S. Hessler, sr., to be held in trust for her daughter, Laura V. Hessler, and son, Edmond Hessler. It is provided that upon the death of these two the property is to pass to Samuel R. Hessler.

In the will of Helen G. Helner, dated June 24, 1910, and filed for probate yes-terday, a daughter, Edith Heiner, is

Nineteen indictments were handed down yesterday, seven for nonsupport, one for criminal assault and one for manslaughter. The indictments were as follows: The United States Marine Band will John Huntt, manslaughter; Jeremiah Berry and Henry Lewis, depredation of clses will be conducted. property; Edward Barnes, violation of Section 218 of the penal code; James W. Johnson, orate the two rooms at the Emery William Clements Thomas R. Hunt mittee in

Norman B. Jenkins asks an absolute divorce from his wife, Iola Gertrude Jen-kins, in a petition filed in the District Supreme Court yesterday, a co-respond

#### New York Hotel Arrivals.

New York, Sept. 20 .- Arrivals from the Capital at local hotels today were: Broadway Central-Flanders-L. F. Bond W. H. Du Hay, Cumberland-T. H. Boyd. E. P. Green. Algonquin-C. B. Brown. Great Northern-Remington-H. I. Littlejohn. Murray Hill-L. D. Clark. R. W. Cox. Park Avenue-G. P. Oakley, Van Cortlan— E. W. Rockwell, A. L. Dryden, S. Goodman, Wellington-T. Wendell, Jr. T. Wendell.

Business representative-Miss M. Cur ran, gloves and umbrellas, representing Woodward & Lothrop, dry goods, etc., 334 Fourth avenue Holland House.

EXPECT ROUMANIAN ATTACK.

Turkey Believes Country Will Oppose Central Powers. Paris, Sept. 20.-A dispatch from Salor

a quotes Haki Pasha, a prominent irkish leader, as saying that the Turco-Bulgarian accord creeates a new politica and military situation in the Balkans. "We believe," the dispatch says he added, "that Roumania will take a position opposed to the central powers, but we hope that Greece will not attack us,"

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## GREAT FALLS PROJECT Plans Complete for Dedicating Census Building for G. A. R. Camp

Citizens' Committees Report Finishing Touches Being Put on . Headquarters for Veterans—Pennsylvania Avenue Grand Stands Nearing Completion.

forts because of the unfavorable views relative to the matter recently announced by Secretary of War Garrison, is apparent from a statement issued yesterday by Roy C. Claffin, chairman of the committee. The statement, in part, reads:

"While it is true that there is no immediate demand for an increased water supply, it is conceded by those who have made official investigations of the question that the work for an of the question on next Monday morning of the Emery Building, the structure formerly occupied by the Census Burdent of the dedication on next Monday morning of the the structure formerly occupied by the Census Burdent of the veterans of the Grand Army of the Representative J. Thompson Baker, of Representative J. Thompson Baker, of Representative J. Thompson Baker, of Admiral Dewey, is a member of the organization.

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immediate demand for an increased water supply, it is conceded by those who have made official investigations of the question that the work for an increased water supply must begin within five to eight years at the outside, a comparatively short time for an undertaking of this size.

"The wisdom of postponing so important a matter until the actual necessity demands it, is questionable. Suppose the accomplishments of the work should require a longer period than estimated, or that the government would be less able at that time to bear the burden financially, as a business proposition, would it seem wise to procastinate."

The special symmittee of the Chamber of Commerce will continue its investigations to their conclusion, and from the information already in hand, it appears that the chamber will be intentioned in the conclusion, and the following grand-the form the information already in hand, it appears that the chamber will be intentioned and the conclusion, and the conclusion, and the conclusion of the conclusion and the conclusion and

the building to the veterans in a brief ad-leans. They will keep a sharp outlook dress. William F. Gude, chairman of the citizens' committee, will receive the dence men, vagrants and other criminals, building on behalf of his committee and in a brief address will turn it over to at Union Station and steamboat wharves. Harry Standiford, director general of the G. A. R. Addresses also will be delivered by Col. John McElroy, editor of the National Tribune; Mrs. W. E. Andrews, and a representative of the Oldest Inhabitants' Association. Col. C. Royce and Harrisop Dingman also will take part in the description of the downtown section. More than 400 Boy Scouts will aid in partoling.

During the parade next week detectives brigade headquarters at 8 o'clock in the of the project and later will appeal to congress for an appropriation to finance special orders that might be given.

"This duty will be without pay. Government employes will be furnished cervention of the American Federation of the Province of Harrison Dingman also will take part in the exercises. Following the ceremonies the route of the parade and maintaining

Building Renovated.

The building now is being put in first class condition for the encampment. Col. McElroy yesterday inspected the struct-ure and expressed the opinion that acommodations would be the best ever offered at any encampment of the or-ganization. The building has been ganization. The building has been thoroughly renovated, signs are being put up, electric lights and telephones are being installed, and furnishings are being arranged.

Regret was expressed yesterday by leaders among the veterans that it has June 24, 1916, and filed in June 24, 1916, and siled in Ju been found unwise to dedicate the Grant regent of the Military Order of Loyal Legion, it has been decided to hold ex-ercises at the statue next Tuesday eve-

and Joseph Ware, robbery, Solomon Building in which the naval veterans of the civil war will hold their dog watch breaking and larceny; William Warner Poole, criminal assault; Dale Byington Clark, grand larceny; H. G. Wilson and subcommittees yesterday were submit-Benjamin V. Hendricks, false pretenses; ted at a meeting of the citizens com-Villam Clements, Thomas R. Hunt, mittee in charge of arrangements. Mr. rnest Truesdell. John C. Hoban, James Gude, chairman, presided. Announce-Acton, Carl L. Cooper and Thomas J. ment was made that the big grand stands in front of the White House were near-ing completion and that decoration of all stands will probably be completed by Saturday night. Work will commence by Saturday night. Work will commence immediately on the construction of the "human flag" stand south of the treas-ury. Applications from children de-siring to form a part of the "human flag" are being received by Flag Di-rector W. T. Ashby, rooms 603-605 Dis-trict National Bank Building

W. P. Van Wickle, chairman of the committee on historic sites, announced that 175 red, white and blue markers, with suitable inscriptions, would be placed to-day on historic spots. A souvenir book containing mention of 330 places of historic interest now is being prepared. These booklets will be sold for 19 cents apiece and 15,000 will be printed, 5,000 being reserved for veterans.

Arranges for Drills.

Dr. Franklin E. Gibson, chairman of the entertainment committee, reported he is ready for the handling of the drills, band concerts, aeroplane demonstrations, visits to warships and other attractions of the week. A certified check for \$10 has been deposited with the superintendent of public buildings and grounds to indemnify him against injury to the

greenswards by the crowds.

Chairman Harper, of the finance committee, reported that \$1,400 of pledged

The committee on accommodations announced it had reserved rooms in all the hotels and in about 800 boarding houses for veterans and other visitors. The committee is in a position to accommodate 25,000 persons. The Boy Scouts are arranging to serve as guides, escorts, messengers and patrolmen. The committee on campfires and reunions promises a busy week of sideshows Mrs. W. E. a busy week of sideshows. Mrs W. F. Andrews, chairman of the women's citi zens' committee, reported that flag day contributions totaled \$1,421.85. The expenses were slight.

Isaac Gans, chairman of the committee on decorations, announced that the city would be in gala attire by Saturday night. W. T. Galliher, chairman of the committee on badges, reported that 400 badges for members of the citizens' com mittee are ready for distribution. Fifty cents each will be charged for them to

cover the cost of manufacture.

President Wilson will deliver the principal address at the reception to be given at Camp Emery on next Tuesday evening. Music will be furnished by the Marine Band. David J. Palmer, commander-in-chief of the G. A. R., will respond to the President's "Welcome of the Nation to its Veterans." Addresses also will be delivered by Commissioner Oliver P. Newman. cover the cost of manufacture. by Commissioner Oliver P. Newman Chairman Gude, Col. John McElroy, Mrs. W. E. Andrews, Sara E. Fulton, and Mary A. Jamison, national presi-dent of the Ladies of the G. A. R. The invocation will be by Bishop Alfred

Harding. Senta Sell Rapidly.

Tickets for seats in the observation stand in Lafayette Park opposite the President's reviewing stand are being sold rapidly by Herbert S. Owen at his desk in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce. The reservations are being sold so fast that it is possible the seats will be sold by the end of the week. Many requests for reservations week. Many requests for reservations are coming by mail. There has come one request from Philadelphia for 100 seats. F. D. Owen is chairman of the grandstand committee. He will have general charge of the work of seating the big crowds and will be assisted by a large corps of competent unhers.

ed by a large corps of competent ushers.

The Woman's Section of the Navy League is planning to take an active part in the activities of the week. The special committee appointed to arrange for the festivities is composed of Mrs. Ada Weiss, president of the Loyal Legien of Washington; Mrs. John A. Logan, Mrs. Mary S. Lockwood, Miss. Grace M. Pierce, Mrs. Vylla P. Wilson,

annual meeting here during encampment week. Their headquarters will be in room 33, at Camp Emery. Their business sesons will commence next Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

Col. W. W. Harts, superintendent of public buildings and grounds, is in charge of the program for the laying of the cor-ner stone of Arlington Amphitheater, Oc-tober 1.

Mrs. Little E. Johnson is to be hostess for entertaining ladies of the G. A. R. She has engaged in veteran and patriotic work for twenty-eight years, and twice before has served an official Probably 300 persons will be included in

the local mounted escort for the big parade. Melvin C. Hazen, District surveyer is in charge of arrangements.

Members of the Eighteenth Corps will meet tonight at 7:30 o'clock in G. A. R. Hall to complete arrangements for the

Orders have been issued by Brig. Gen Harvey, of the District National Guard, for the participation of the local citizen soldiers in the G. A. R. parade. The militis will serve as an escort to the citi-Gen. Harvey issued the following or-

"Companies, separate organization will following order not later than 9:30 a. m., reporting their arrival to the adjutant general; brigadier commander and staff. Third Infantry, First Separate Battallon. Naval Battalion, Hospital Corps, Battery A, Field Artillery, Signal Corps company.
"Dress uniform will be worn. For offifor enlisted men, dismounted, russet leather shoes

"Each organization will be inspected by its commander before the general assemits commander before the general assembly, and any officer or man not in proper uniform or not presenting a creditable appearance will see the cause of free text books in the high schools. appearance will not be permitted to

Union prisoners of war are to hold their his old hats are the best friends he has. gathering.

Passengers Give Details Of Raid Hidden by Censor

New York, Sept. 20 .- Passengers arriving here today on liners from Europe reported these chief features of the great Zeppelin raid on London on the night of September 8:

Anti-sircraft guns and serbplane patrols have proved useless in repelling air raids by the Ger-

The extent of damage, the number of casualties, and the state of terror of the people have been minimized or suppressed entirely in the meager news reports allowed to pass by the censor. It was said here today that fifty were killed in the last raid.
For half an hour Wednesday night, September 8, a Zeppelin hovered a mile above the heart of London, raining bombs in a steady stream upon the city.
Attempts were made to destroy the great Woolwich Arsenal, but failed. A warehouse near St. Paul's Cathedral was struck, but the muritions stored therein failed to explode.
A bus contraining sixteen persons was struck and blown to atoms. was said here today that fifty

UNION SEEKS FREE BOOKS.

labor Body Will Appoint Committee to Aid School Pupils.

A special committee of the Central La-The committee, it was announced at a parade.

"All commanding officers will report at civic bodies to arouse sentiment in favor brigade headquarters at 8 o'clock in the of the proejet and later will appeal to

British Aeros Helpless Before

Returning from London, They Tell Details of Raid Held Up by Censor—Britons in Terror After Airship's Visit. Bombs Hit Near St. Paul's.

New York, Sept. 20.—Picture a great dozen flares from searchlights played airship circling over the blazing lights upon it.

The details of the London air raid ald Square in New York City or swing-ing above the "loop" of Chicago showering shells upon the throbbing traffic arteries of that city, and one gets an idea of the first German air raid over the heart of London on the night of Wednesstay. September 8.

My Mahn who arrived in New York

scribed it today in a thrilling narra-tive.

Arsenal Unscathed.

German airships are binding the people of London in chains of terror, Mr. Kahn says, and the anti-air-craft guns which are scattered throughout the city are powerless to inflict damage upon the invaders of the air. Projectiles rained upon the Woolwich arsenal, on the outskirts of London, the evident objective of the raiders on the

night of September 8, but failed to hit Scores of shells were hurled over the side of the Zeppelin into the thickly congested parts of the city, bordering upon the Strand and Piccadilly Circus, blasting have holes, starting fires, and sending the peo-ple scurrying into their bomb-proof cel-

A curious psychological effect was noted The call for the thirty-fifth annual convention of the American Federation of Labor at San Francisco on November 8 into the city; then their terror gave way the Engineering Corps of the French

brought here today on the Rotterdam were the first to be received, as they have fell on the Mansion House, the official residence of the lord mayor. Fire broke

out near the stock exchange, but was conquered before it could spread from the wreckage where it started.

FLOODS DESOLATE INDIA.

Homeless and Forty-six Dead.

Lucknow, India, Sept. 20.-Floods that have been raging in the Ganges and its confluents for three weeks have made 80,000 persons homeless, according to of-Forty-six pers known to have perished and 1,800 homes have been swept away. That the death list was not larger is due to the fact that the water rose gradually, giving most of the inhabitants of the stricken districts an opportunity to flee.

French Submarine Expert Dead. Was read and Newton A. James, first inKing Nicholas, of Montenegro, cannot ternational vice president of the firebe induced to buy a new hat. He thinks men's union, was elected delegate to the air, about a mile above the city, while a ble of firing torpedoes

Zeppelins, Americans Assert NEW VAUDEVILLE HOUSE Loew Interests for Period of Five Years.

Columbia Theater Leased to Marcus

**WASHINGTON WILL GET** 

The Mesers. Metzerott last night an-nounced that the Columbia Theater has been leased to the Marcus Loew interests for five years from October 11. This means that the National Capital is to

means that the National Capital is to have a new vaudeville house.

The Loew interests control many Theaters in New York City and throughout the country, and the Loew vaudeville circuit extends across the continent.

The Columbia Theater is to form a link

S. M. Kahn, who arrived in New York today on the liner Rotterdam, passed through the Zeppelin attack when Zeppelin attack when Zeppelin bombs were ripping up the heart of the great British metropolis, and he described it today in a the line was supposed. The Messrs. Metzerott announced that the lease covers only the theater proper tacks to leak out.

Bombs struck the Bank of England and estate of W. G. Metzerott in the lease was executed by the fell on the Manufes House than was supposed. The Messrs. Metzerott the lease covers only the theater proper tacks to leak out. nounced that Paramount Pictures will be shown at the Columbia for four weeks. Since 1896 the Columbia Theater has held its place in the esteem of the Na-tional Capital's theatergoers. Before the civil war, William G. Metzerott, father of Frank and Oliver Metzerott, was this city's leading dealer in musical instruments and also had a reputation

After the civil war Mr. Metzerott oc-cupied the Iron Hall, in Pennsylvania. avenue between Ninth and Tenth streets street and Pennsylvania avenue and gave a number of famous recitals. He died in 1884, and his sons took charge of his work. In 1891 the Metzerotts improved the Twelfth street property, where the Columbia Theater now is located, and built the Metzerott's Music Hall.

The present Columbia Theater was crected in 1896 and was opened with

Grau's Grand English Opera Company The theater since then has been owned and operated exclusively by the Metzerott family. It has been the scene of some of the greatest productions and the greatest artists have been heard within

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Fountain Pens, 14-kt. gold pens, medium, fine and stub points; regular \$1 value. 67c and this

Pencil Cases, burnt wood boxes, 6 fittings; regular value, 25c. 19c and this Coupon.

Scholars' Companions, hardwood box. lock and key, glass top, fitted with Inkstand, Ruler, Lead Pencil, Penholder and Pen, and Knife: regular 25c value. 20c and this Coupon.

Pencil Cases, fancy boxes, 14 fittings; regular 75c value. 60c and this Coupon.

Compass and Divider: regular 25c value. This Coupon and 19c.

Globes of the World on stands; regular 25c value. 21c and this Coupon.

Writing Fluid, 4-oz. bottles; regular 10c value. 5c per bottle and this Coupon.

Straw Book Cases, with suit-case locks; regular \$1 value. This Coupon and 67c.

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Initial Paper or Cards with Envelopes; regular 25 and 30c value, 16c per box with this Coupon.

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